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Subject: Bill 11 (2013), CD2

I am humbly asking for your support for Bill 11 (2013), CD2. DTCH has helped my grandson who is dyslexic and who has struggled to read and spell in school. He has improved greatly since he started his tutoring with DTCH. He will need to continue with his tutoring in order to be fluent in reading and spelling. There are so many children like my grandson who need DTCH to help them in their every day life to succeed in their education. DTCH has had problems securing a site for tutoring. Not knowing where and if classes would be held has added stress and to a very traumatic situation. I humbly ask that for my grandson and others like him with this disability that you pass this bill so organizations like DTCH will have a property that will serve as a center to tutor individuals like my grandson in reading, writing, spelling and hand writing.

Sincerely, Kathleen M. Freitas

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